



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 09242.0180-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Daniel TATARAKA et al.) Group Art Unit: 2882
Application No.: 10/035,677) Examiner: T. Artman
Filed: December 28, 2001)
For: CABLE HAVING CONDUITS FOR) Confirmation No.: 4632
RECEIVING OPTICAL FIBERS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of March 22, 2005. The items checked below are appropriate:

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$450.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	8	-	21	0	x \$ 50	\$.00
Indep.	4	-	3	1	x \$200	200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$360	.00
					Subtotal	\$ 200.00
					Reduction by ½ if small entity	-.00
					TOTAL	\$ 200.00

A fee of \$200.00 to cover the cost of the additional claim added by this reply is enclosed.
 A check for \$650.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account 06-0916.

Dated: August 22, 2005

By: _____



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**RESPONSE UNDER 37C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURES REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2882**

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 22, 2005, the period for response having been extended to August 22, 2005 by a request for extension of two months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants propose that this application be amended, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

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